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Serial No.: 09/755,136

Applicant: Winston I. Way

Art Unit: 2633

Examiner: Shi K. Li

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Title

: IN-BAND WAVELENGTH CONVERSION WAVELENGTH BURENCE

AND MULTI-PROTOCOL LAMBDA SWITCHING

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

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Total Claims

62

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\$180

Independent

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\$43

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 2 month

extension of time.

\$210

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$433

A check for \$433 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 21, 2004

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